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DH	AA	4,597,090	6-24-86	Fomey, Jr.	—	—	—	
	AB	4,077,021	2-28-78	Csajka et al.	—	—	—	
	AC	2005/0084750	4-21-05	Wang et al.	—	—	—	
	AD	2005/0058633	3-17-05	Epstein et al.	—	—	—	
	AE	2005/0922922	—	—	—	—	—	
	AF	5,023,889	6-11-91	Divsalar et al.	—	—	—	
	AG	4,918,437	4-17-90	Jasinski et al.	—	—	—	
	AH	5,148,422	9-15-92	Sako et al.	—	—	—	
	AI	5,136,380	8-4-92	Cho	—	—	—	
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DH	AJ	2627574	7-21-04	CN	—	—		
	AK	1529838	5-11-05	EP	—	—	abstract	
	AL	1499725	5-26-04	CN	—	—	only abstract	
	AM	2004-159207	6-3-04	JP	—	—	corresponds to AL	
	AN	1528854	5-11-05	EP	—	—	only abstract	
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	AB	5,218,436	6-8-93	Sugiyama et al.	_____	_____	_____
	AC	4,267,592	5-12-81	Craiglow	_____	_____	_____
	AD	4,601,045	7-15-86	Lubarsky	_____	_____	_____
	AE	4,912,706	3-27-90	Eisenberg et al.	_____	_____	_____
	AF	4,914,655	4-3-90	Johannes et al.	_____	_____	_____
	AG	5,018,198	5-21-91	Takahashi	_____	_____	_____
	AH	4,003,002	1-11-77	Snijders et al.	_____	_____	_____
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